
REMARKS

Applicant has cancelled all of the originally filed claims 1-20, inclusive. New claims 110-129, inclusive, have been added to better encompass the full scope and breadth of the invention notwithstanding Applicant's belief that no claims have been narrowed within the meaning of *Festo*.

I. Pro Se Applicant Request For Constructive Assistance

If, for any reason the claims of this application are not believed to be in full condition for allowance, pro se applicant respectfully requests the constructive assistance and suggestions of the Examiner in drafting one or more acceptable claims pursuant to MPEP §707.07(j) in order that this application can be placed in allowable condition as soon as possible and without need for further proceedings.

II. Rejection of Claim 8 Under 35 U.S.C. §112

Claim 8 has been canceled.

III. Rejection of Claims 1-4, 11-20 Under 35 U.S.C. §102

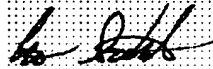
Claims 1-4, 11-20 have been canceled.

IV. Rejection of Claims 5-10 Under 35 U.S.C. §103

Claims 5-10 have been canceled.

Should the Examiner believe that telephone correspondence would be helpful to expedite favorable prosecution, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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